

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: A. Stoyanov et al. Attorney Docket No.: WEYE121925/25324  
Application No.: 10/815,143 Art Unit: 1791 / Confirmation No: 8224  
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Title: BLEACHED POLYACRYLIC ACID  
CROSSLINKED CELLULOSIC FIBERS

AMENDMENT AFTER NON-FINAL REJECTION

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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